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TRANSMITTING WEB PAGES IN A PLURALITY OF ALTERNATE READABLE MODES SELECTABLE TO DIRECT USERS HAVING DIFFERENT READING SKILLS TO READ ALONG A WORLD WIDE WEB PAGE

<u>Abstract</u>

A system for directing users of varying and particularly limited reading skills through a reading of a received Web page which helps such users to ignore Web page clutter and focus on the page content direction. The Web page is transmitted in a plurality of selectable readable modes; at least one of which modes includes a movable indicator directing the user to read along the Web page in a predetermined orthogonal progressive pattern. The movable indicator is preferably an element highlighting a sequential block of data. For example, the highlighted block of data may be brighter than the other data on the Web page or have a color different from the color of the other data on the Web page. page is transmitted over the Web in a markup language comprising control tags enabling the Web page to be selectively read in said moving indicator mode and there is a Web browser at said receiving Web station for selectively reading said received Web page in said moving indicator mode.